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without inspection. Nine bills of health were issued during the week. No report for death rate has been received.

Respectfully,  
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*Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*  
The SURGEON-GENERAL,  
*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Reports from Nuevitas, Gibara, and Baracoa.*

NUEVITAS, CUBA, *January 21, 1901.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended January 19, 1901, for the third district of Cuba: Six vessels arrived at this port and 8 bills of health were issued, and there was 1 death, tetanus neonatorum. A cold wave on Friday caused much discomfort. The sanitary condition of the town is good and there is but little sickness, and that of a mild type of malaria.

*Gibara.*—Reports show the arrival of 5 vessels, 4 bills of health issued, 3 deaths, and good sanitary condition.

*Baracoa.*—Reports show the arrival of 6 vessels, 4 bills of health issued, 5 deaths, and good sanitary condition.

While telegraphic reports have not been received from other stations, the bills of health of coastwise steamers show that no quarantinable disease exists at any point in the district.

Respectfully,  
OWEN W. STONE,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*  
The SURGEON-GENERAL,  
*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Report of immigrants inspected at the port of Nuevitas, Cuba, during the month of January, 1901.*

Total number of immigrants inspected, 1; number passed, 1.

OWEN W. STONE,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

*Reports from Santiago, Manzanillo, Guantanamo, and Daiquiri.*

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, *January 11, 1901.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report for the week ended January 5, 1901:

*Santiago.*—Seventeen deaths were reported for this week, the chief causes being the following: Pernicious malarial fever, 6; tuberculosis, 3; broncho-pneumonia, 1; diphtheria, 1; tetanus, 2; other causes, 4; total, 17; population, 43,000; annual rate of mortality, 20.5 per 1,000.

Since January 1 nonimmune passengers arriving in good health from Havana in less than three days are not held aboard the vessels to complete the five-day period since leaving that port, but are permitted to enter the city and report in person twice daily until five days have elapsed since leaving Havana. The disinfection of baggage from Havana continues. Eleven vessels arrived and were inspected and passed and 8 bills of health were issued to vessels destined for the United States and ports in Cuba.

I inclose vital statistics of Santiago for the month of December, 1900.

*Manzanillo.*—Acting Asst. Surg. R. de Socarras reports 4 deaths, due to the following causes: Enteritis, 2; bronchitis, 1; meningitis, 1; total, 4; population, 14,464; annual death rate, 14.38 per 1,000.